

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)  
(Large Entity)**

Docket No.  
**02410346aa**

In Re Application Of: **Hideki Hashizume**

Application No.	Filing Date	Examiner	Customer No.	Group Art Unit	Confirmation No.
<b>10/702,043</b>	<b>November 6, 2003</b>	<b>Chiem, Dinh</b>	<b>30173</b>	<b>2883</b>	<b>7421</b>

Invention: **WAVELENGTH SELECTIVE OPTICAL DEVICE AND METHOD OF TUNING A  
WAVELENGTH CHARACTERISTIC OF THE SAME**

**COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:**

This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the Office  
Action of January 4, 2007 in the above-identified application.  
*Date*

The requested extension is as follows (check time period desired):

- ☒ One month      ☐ Two months      ☐ Three months      ☐ Four months      ☐ Five months

from: April 4, 2007 until: May 4, 2007  
*Date* *Date*

The fee for the extension of time is **\$120** and is to be paid as follows:

- ☐ A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed.  
☒ The Director is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to  
Deposit Account No. **50-2041**  
☒ If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor and charge  
any additional fees which may be required to Deposit Account No. **50-2041**  
☐ Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached.

**WARNING: Information on this form may become public. Credit card information should not be  
included on this form. Provide credit card information and authorization on PTO-2038.**

  
*Signature*

Dated: **April 24, 2007**

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Alexandria, VA 22313-1450" [37 CFR 1.8(a)] on

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